

Docket No. AMDP761US

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re **PATENT** application of:

Applicant: Somnath Viswanath

Serial No.: 10/730,621

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OUT OF ORDER WRITING OF  
STATUS FIELDS FOR RECEIVE IPSEC PROCESSING

Filing Date: December 8, 2003

Examiner: Fikremariam Yalew

Art Unit: 2136

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION DATED NOVEMBER 1, 2007**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Favorable reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully  
requested in view of the following remarks.